



**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 – EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
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 : CONSTRUCTS THEREOF, AND METHOD
 : OF USE

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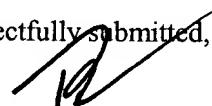
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- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- This is a Petition for an Extension of Time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render this submission timely.
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In response to the Advisory Action dated July 27, 2007, Applicants amend the Application as follows: